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Dear Dr. Kinser:

We are pleased to notify you that the following posters have been accepted for presentation at the University of Minnesota conference "Biomarkers of Tobacco Exposure" on October 25-26, 2001.

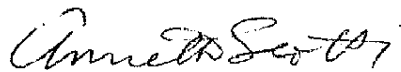
- 1) "Design for a Population Study of Exposure of U.S. Adult Smokers to Cigarette Smoke." Authors: Walk RA, Carter WH, Carchman RA, Gear JC, Gonn C, Gennings RD, Kinser RD, Leyden DE, Nelson BL, Tricker AR, von Holt K.
- 2) "Assessment of Environmental Tobacco Smoke (ETS) Exposure Among Non-smokers and Smokers Using Biomarkers and a Questionnaire." Authors: Lau R, Zhang M, Nelson B, Adams C, Walk RA.
- 3) "Selection of Biomarkers of Exposure for a Population Study of U.S. Adult Smokers to Cigarette Smoke." Authors: Kiner RD, Carchman RA, Leyden DE, Sanders EB, Stabbert R, Tricker AR, von Holt K, Walk RA.
- 4) "Examples of Systematic Validation for Biomarkers of Cigarette Smoke Exposure." Authors: Kiner RD, Oey J.
- 5) "Biomarkers of Potential Harm in Smokers." Authors: Roethig HJ, von Holt K, Kuhl P, McKinney W, Zhang M, Walk RA.

Please note that abstracts were reviewed for appropriateness of subject matter, but were not peer reviewed for scientific content. This is in keeping with intent of the conference to serve as an open forum for discussion.

Because source of funding is an area of active discussion in the field of tobacco research, we ask your indulgence in helping us assure that source of funding is readily apparent to all conference participants. **We ask that all presenters disclose the source of funding on their study on the poster, in the header.**

Poster board will be 4 x 8 feet and all posters will be displayed throughout the conference. If you have any questions regarding poster presentations, please contact Annette Scotti at 011-612-627-1857 or email [ascotti@umn.edu](mailto:ascotti@umn.edu). Thanks for your interest in this conference. We look forward to seeing you in October.

Sincerely,



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